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On the whole, I am of opinion that as a well balanced material for porridge these analytical results justify oats is cheapest a very high, if not the highest place for oatmeal, and especially for rolled oats.

S. McGUIRE, Assistant to Chief Analyst, Ottawa.

N. B.
THORPE'S
PALE, DRY
GINGERALE

papers relating to her case had been burned. The police believe her mind is unbalanced, but her story will be investigated by the commissioners for their fair and impartial report was out of place for it was shown that the report was expected and that, again, the witness expected today's operation, will be able to perform similar operations.

In the letter accompanying the plan which Mr. Bodley submitted, he included a very interesting description of the building he suggested, extracts from the same being as follows:

The style of architecture chosen is Italian, and that of the Roman type. Rome, so long an acquaintance by its sword with all Europe, and formed a commonwealth of laws, and literature, and art—this commercial commonwealth being our inheritance. We find therein the explanation why our arts cannot be distinct. We cannot discard entablatures and pediments. We must train up our youth in the Shakspeare and Virgil, Ovid, and Milton. The classical art has a great advantage over other arts for library buildings, as it possesses a standard whereby all proportion may be gauged, whereas in other arts fancy is unrestricted, and the architect is apt to

was fatally wounded by the guards at the State penitentiary today. At 8

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Shelagouski, a wealthy saloon owner, made a statement declaring that he was the husband of the murdered man. He testified that he was the one who beat the man to death with a mallet. He also testified that he assisted Mrs. Seb...

Forckhill was sentenced to be at Sing Sing during the week of August 3. Mrs. Schlagowski rested later.

Happenings On The Mainland

A Swede Mistaken for a Bear by a Companion and is Shot Dead.

One of Three Bad Boys From Victoria Caught at Vancouver.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, June 22.—(E. Thorson, a Swede, was taken for a bear by the Spaniards in the other day and killed by his partner, W. J. Drummond. The two men had decided to settle in the valley, and were clearing their homesteads the day of the accident, side by side. In the evening they went out bear hunting. They became separated, and Hulbert thought he saw in the distance the dark form of a bear between the bushes, while the bushes trembled as if a bear were eating salmon berries from a tree. He brought his rifle to his shoulder and taking careful aim at the dark spot between the bushes fired. The bullet struck the bear, and he fell dead. The other man, who was standing by, saw the dead bear and thought it was a bear, and he shot at it. The bullet struck the bear, and he fell dead. The other man, who was standing by, saw the dead bear and thought it was a bear, and he shot at it. The bullet struck the bear, and he fell dead.

BARCELONA WORKERS STRIKE.
London, June 22.—According to a special despatch from Barcelona, a strike for an advance in wages, involving 30,000 men, has been declared. The trades unions include stone cutters, butchers, and shoemakers.

MILLIONAIRE'S MANSION BURNS.
Greenwich, Conn., June 22.—The mansion of Alfred Peats, the millionaire paper manufacturer on Electric Hill, was destroyed by fire tonight, and Mrs. Peats and her 8-year-old daughter, Genevieve, were badly burned. The latter's condition is so serious that she will probably die. Mr. Peats, who is an invalid, had to be carried from the house.

Americans Are Ashamed of Case
No Hurry to Show Public Weakness of their Alaska Claim.

England's Desire to Tax Goods Changes U. S. View of Matters.

Toronto, June 22.—The News-London cable says: The Emperor for Imperial Defence has promised a resolution urging the government to insist on colonial contributions to the army and navy in the event of any preferential scheme being adopted. They point out that the whole burden of empire falls on the upholders of the homeland, and this must be changed. Amid conflicting views of Chamberlainism, Motherlanders are agreed that if any fiscal favors are granted to the colonies, the latter must contribute to Imperial defence. Mr. Chamberlain, it is pointed out, keeps this feature of his policy in the background, but his opinion thereon is pronounced. The constant dictatorial gestures of Premier Salisbury, New Zealand, and others of his type, are offensive to all Englishmen, who have a growing feeling that the colonies do not pay their fair share towards the defence of the Empire.

It is generally assumed by supporters of the preference policy that the colonies, in the event of preference being extended to them, will contribute liberally to Imperial defence. Sir Richard Jebb, M. P., advocates the extending of the property, which has always been regarded as one of the most promising properties in the Wellington camp. About 200 feet of cross-section and surface work have been performed by the former owners, and this work has opened up some rich sulphide ore. Mr. Rea will personally direct developments, which at the outset will consist of surface stripping, with a view of opening up a glory hole, leading to those at the Granby and Snowshoe mines. It is his intention to make a smelter test at an early date. The new company is the Hesperus Gold and Sulphur Mines Co.

BRUTAL HUSBAND'S SUICIDE.
Fires at Wife, Then Takes His Own Life.

Binghamton, N. Y., June 22.—On Thursday Guy Mariani went to the home of his wife's sister and tried to induce his wife, who had taken refuge there after being driven from home by his cruel and tyrannical treatment, to return to him. She refused, he whipped out his revolver, and fired. It scratched her neck, but she was not injured. He then started towards the woods saying, "Good-bye, thinking he was trying to frighten them, no search was made until this morning, when a neighbor discovered his body lying where he had shot himself.

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TRAIN WRECK.

Jefferson City, Mo., June 22.—In the wreck of two Montana Pacific freight trains at Cole Junction, five miles west of this city last night, four men were killed, and one dangerously injured.

THE MYSTERIOUS THIBET VISITED

A Russian Subject Spends a Year in Country Studying Life of the People.

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SUICIDED AT THE YREKA MINE

Martin Griffiths Well Known Coast Prospector, Takes His Life With a Rifle.

News was brought by the steamer Danube, which arrived on Sunday, of a suicide at the Yreka mine, on Quatsino Sound. Passengers who came on the trail from Coal Harbor to Hardy Bay, and connected with the Coast steamer at Alert Bay, brought news that Martin Griffiths, a well known prospector, who hailed from Seattle, committed suicide by shooting himself with a rifle. No reason could be assigned for his rash act.

Griffiths is said to have borrowed a rifle from Robert Connors, a miner employed at the Yreka mine, whom he told that he was going prospecting. It is customary for prospectors and others staying at the camp to go at times up the mountain sides of Comstock mountain, on which the well known West Coast mine is located, on shooting expeditions, and Connors thought nothing of the request.

He loaned the rifle to Griffiths, who walked from the bunkhouse, a hundred yards away, after receiving the rifle, to the store of the Yreka Mining Company, on the waterfront of Quatsino Sound, and deliberately shot himself.

Martin Griffiths was a well known prospector, who had for some time past been scouring the northern end of the island for a lead. He was well known to miners and others in this section, who will regret to learn of his rash act.

MARRIAGE YESTERDAY.
A quiet wedding was solemnized yesterday afternoon by the Rev. W. B. Allen, who united in the bonds of matrimony, John Lochore, of Seattle, to Mable Annie Outway, of Nelson. A few intimate friends of the contracting parties being present. The newly wedded couple left on last evening's boat for Seattle, where they will make their future home.

PERSONALS.
Mrs. and Miss McDermott of the Winnipeg Post and Daily News, are in the city on a visit to Seattle.

Mrs. D. A. Upper has returned from a month's visit to Seattle.

Mr. Ross, M. P., ex-Governor of the Yukon, is in the city. He came over from the Sound on the Rosalie yesterday morning.

Mr. Chas. Steers of Vancouver street, and Mrs. Steers, returned by the steamer Charming on Sunday evening from a visit to Vancouver.

Miss Eleanor McCandless, who has been spending an extended vacation in San Francisco, returned home by the steamer City of Puna and last night.

Mrs. Gilmour of San Francisco, arrived by the steamer City of Puna last night on a visit to his Worship the Mayor and Mrs. McCandless.

Miss Edith Barrie of San Francisco, arrived by the steamer City of Puna, last night on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Church.

Mrs. H. Stanton of Nainaimo, is in the city and will be a passenger to San Francisco by the direct steamer sailing this evening.

J. A. Fullerton, Capt. Ettershanks and D. Ferguson, returned from a visit to Vancouver on Sunday evening to visit the Inland Empire.

J. H. and wife of Dawson, who have been in the Klondike for four years, are at the Dominion, being en route to England.

William Savage, W. H. Ladner, Chas. Arnold, J. B. Hancock, C. Ford and J. W. D. Ferris, all of Vancouver, are registered at the Dominion, having come over from the Mainland to write on the law examinations.

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CAMPBELL—FLETCHER—At the Manse, Cordova street, Vancouver, on the 20th inst., by Rev. H. G. MacBeth, Roderick Angus Campbell, of Vancouver, to Margaret Fletcher, of Vancouver, Ont.

SELWOOD—GOURLEY—At Vancouver, on the 20th inst., by Rev. R. J. Wilson, M. A., H. G. Selwood to Jane Gourley, of Nelson.

DIED.

BEANLANDS—On Sunday, June 21, Laura Maud, the dear wife of Arthur Beanlands, rector of Christ Church Cathedral, Victoria, B. C.

MAGGOWAN—On Saturday, June 20th, at Vancouver, Guy Macgowan, aged 27, husband of 8 months, eldest son of A. H. B. and Fannie Macgowan.

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FEAR THE GREEKS.

Virgil once wrote a line of poetry so apt and expressive that it has become a proverb. It taught the lesson to "fear the Greeks even when they come bearing gifts." It is astonishing the number of Greeks who have recently come to the rescue of the British Empire against the designs of the arch-traitor, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain. Among the latest is that distinguished Irish-American politician Mr. Bourke Cochrane. For the abilities and eloquence of that gentleman we have the highest admiration, but we can never forget that his whole personality is imbued with hostility to the British Empire which all his eloquence has been used to express. Mr. Cochrane after having fomented race bitterness to dismember the Empire, after having stimulated American hostility to isolate it, and after having applauded the warfare of the Boers to destroy it, now preaches in well-forged sorrow over the humiliating end to which it is destined if it accepts the ideas and adopts the policy of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain. That the United States profits in the slightest degree by having the free run of the British market, Mr. Cochrane denies. A trade bargain between the various parts of the Empire would be fatal to its integrity, and the element of protection in it would be an effort to do business at a loss and to remedy it by taxation and legislation. "The integrity of the Empire" is a strange phrase in the mouth of Mr. Bourke Cochrane, seeing that it is something he has devoted his life and his talents to destroy. If Mr. Chamberlain is now doing so for him, why should he interfere? To what pass has the Empire come that it must appeal to him for protection, or that he should voluntarily offer it? Had we been doubtful of Mr. Chamberlain's programme, and questioned its feasibility and advantage, the fact that Mr. Bourke Cochrane had come forward to condemn it would, in itself, be enough to induce us to reconsider our opinion. If Mr. Chamberlain's policy were to be judged alone by what the enemies of Great Britain have to say about it, it would be accepted in its entirety tomorrow by Great Britain's friends.

KNOW THYSELF.

There is no country in the world, nor are there any people capable of articulate expression, which more than the United States and the people who live there, exorcised with generous rage the Jewish massacres in Russia. The power of enthusiastic pity over the sufferings of others is a noble gift, and a tribute to a worthy human nature; but where it is limited strictly to sufferings at a distance, and such as have not been caused by ourselves, it is by no means calculated to stir admiration in others. It is only a few weeks ago that the Italian Chamber of Deputies was discussing the refusal of the United States to give any satisfaction for the lynching of a number of Italian subjects at Erwin, Mississippi, in July, 1901. The opposition interrogated the foreign secretary, Alfred Raccelli. The secretary replied that the Italian embassy and the Italian consular corps in the United States had left no stone unturned to bring the culprits to justice; but the United States government claimed that it was utterly unable to do anything, and that the affair concerned the State of Mississippi. When asked if the Italian government had not received money from the United States government, Secretary Raccelli replied that the United States government had paid some fifty thousand dollars to the families of the victims, but that the Italian government had refused to have anything to do with such a matter, as it could not accept blood-money for the lives of its murdered subjects; still, it had not prevented the widows and orphans of the murdered men from receiving this money as some sort of extra-diplomatic compensation at the hands of the United States. Further interrogated, he declared that this semi-secret payment of blood-money was entirely without the purview of the Italian government, and in no way diminished the strength of its demand for the punishment of the murderers of its subjects. He added that both President McKinley and President Roosevelt did all they could to settle the matter, but that the resistance of the individual States to the Federal government prevented any success. He closed thus: "The United States is a great nation, probably at the head of all civilized nations; but this matter of refusing satisfaction to friendly nations, whose subjects had been massacred or lynched within its borders, will ever leave a dark stain upon its reputation." In what respect, we feel inclined to ask, is the life of an Italian in the United States less valuable than that of a Jew in Russia? It may be replied that it is less valuable in no respect, but that the United States cannot override the public opinion of the State of Mississippi, which will not allow the guilty to be punished. What then are we to say? If such horrors take place in the United States, and of an educated democracy, the land of the common school, and the ballot-box, and if the central government is powerless for restraint or correction, and excuses itself upon that ground, is it not at least possible that the central government in Russia, a country of ignorance and superstition, is not equally innocent or

equally guilty? And what are we to think of a people, weeping tears over the massacres in Russia, who are nevertheless willing to permit the bloody and inhuman barbarity of the State of Mississippi to be the measure of their reputation in foreign lands? That, however, is not all. Of the occasional lynching of some human brute caught red-handed in the commission of a revolting crime, men who know to how great an extent due process of law is mocked by criminals in portions of the United States, will take a lenient view. That is to say, they will place the blame where it really lies, upon the refusal of the community to respect law and enforce order, and not upon the "wild justice" rendered necessary by that refusal. But of late, a system of slavery has been discovered in the States of Alabama and Georgia, so awful in its distortion of legal process to the destruction of human rights, as to make everything of which we have ever previously heard of "man's inhumanity to man" pale into comparative insignificance. It is the habit there we understand to bring negroes into court for trifling debts and offenses, and bind them over to taskmasters from whose clutches they never afterwards escape, and who both work them, and sell their rights in them, with the greatest freedom. Thus we read of one negro who, for the sum of one dollar borrowed and not repaid, was by process of law enslaved and held in bondage and actually sold for a considerable sum. We do not care how many cases of this kind there may be in existence. If there is only one, the existence of one who condemns the community which tolerates it, with a condemnation heavier far than any which can be meted out to Russia. There is a much heavier obligation resting upon the people of the United States to remove these offenses from their own bosom than to rail at Russia because the arm of the Czar is too weak to restrain the forces making for violence and rapine in his dominions. The Turkish Empire, Russia, and the United States are three countries with an unenviable reputation for the substitution of violence for law. It has long been a commonplace that liberty wrongly interpreted leads to the same disorders as autocratic tyranny. We do not say that liberty is wrongly interpreted throughout the whole of the United States, but most emphatically, that it is time that the United States was taking measures to correct the interpretation put upon that sacred word by many elements in its society.

THE BUSINESS MAN IN POLITICS.

The business man in politics is a greater rarity than he should be. Professional men, with the exception of doctors, whose profession is terribly exacting, are, as a rule, keen politicians, so are farmers, so are working men. But, as a general thing, the business man is not. We often hear the lament that more business men do not take an interest in politics. The fact that they do not is observable in all countries, and particularly in Canada and the United States. The reason certainly is not their indifference for the political sphere. They are accustomed to watch events, to make provision for the future, to reflect beforehand on the probable results of certain action, in a word, the principles upon which a successful business is carried on are those principles which, applied to politics, would in all probability give the best results. Yet, as a matter of fact, of sad indisputable fact, the business man is a factor in politics which very largely does not count. Speak of the business man to the practical politician, and he loses interest at once. Mention Presbyterians, Methodists, Catholics, Orangemen, Masons, Trades-unions, Saloon-keepers, and his ears are as sharp as a cat's; but business men—not. He composes himself to sleep, and his thoughts are no longer with you. We do not say that there are not individuals who would quite properly be called business men who are very successful and very influential in politics. But they are not in politics as business men, and for them, politics generally means, sooner or later, giving up business. These are the facts. What is the reason for them? One great reason, we believe to be, is that the business man works harder than anyone else, and that while his business develops the kind of mind that would be a very valuable element in politics, it at the same time absorbs all the energies of that mind, and would absorb ten times as much if there were ten times as much to be disposed of. We often blame the business man for displaying selfishness in the affairs of his country, and for refusing to give time and energy to them. We forget the intensity of competition in the business world, and that the man who withdraws personal energy from his business does so at heavy risk to himself and with a certainty of loss, for which he can secure no equivalent, and to which he can assign no limit. We have a mental picture of the business man in his home, lounging over a magazine and a cup of tea in the evening, too lazy to come to a meeting or do any political work. We are apt to forget that the chances are a thousand to one that his nerve force has been heavily drawn on through the day, and that, if he made further drafts upon it, it would not be long before nature's bank restricted his credit, if it did not refuse his checks altogether. Another reason is perhaps that the business habit of mind is an impersonal one. Politics is tremendously influenced by human emotions of all kinds. There is not a breath of emotion passing over the public mind, or a part of it, which has not a political influence and a political bearing. The science of politics is not a science which can be contained in books, learnt in schools or expressed in figures. The longer politics is studied, the more illimitable vistas of unexplored territory it opens up. Men act in large masses, it is true, and these masses are governed by a common impulse of greater or lesser force. But the creation of that common impulse is through the converging of an almost illimitable number of very small individual forces, each one of which has been modified by individual heredity, training and environment. To attempt to combine these forces, which is the politician's business, is quite evidently no leisure occupation. Nor can it be taken up in a hurry and results achieved. No man, no combination of men, can swoop down upon the field of politics and attempt in a short

time to rearrange political forces to suit themselves, or even their ideas, which may be excellent, of the interests of the country. Before they have gone very far they come in contact with some live wire or another, and are electrocuted on the spot. Plenty of experts are electrocuted in politics without amateurs possessing the smallest chance of successfully directing the potent but unseen forces with which they are sometimes tempted to meddle. That is one reason why, when business men, as such, do enter politics, their career is generally brief. All over the United States, we are continually hearing of business men's tickets and business men's organizations before elections, but after elections, they are seldom or never heard of. Political parties and associations of political forces are matters of very slow and gradual growth, and they cannot be successfully supplanted. But these are modified by the individuals who compose them, and there are none who have more individual power than energetic and public-spirited business men. Their duty in politics therefore is to make their influence felt in the parties they consider most nearly right in their ideas for the welfare of the country, to be present in their councils when they are able, remembering that individual interests are likely to suffer where commercial interests are badly looked after.

Mayor Harrison, of Chicago, has taken a strong stand against the fire-cracker habit, which is so prevalent in the United States on the Fourth of July. The loss of life and destruction of property in Chicago from this insane way of celebrating a joyous occasion has become too serious to be overlooked.

Mr. Chamberlain has been quoting Sir Wilfrid Laurier as in favor of preferential trade, Lord Rosebery has been quoting him as against. They are both perfectly justified in so doing. There is only one man from whom Sir Wilfrid Laurier continually differs; that man is himself.

In the Newcastle Daily Chronicle a gentleman has been giving his impressions of a tour through the Western States and Canada. Speaking of Seattle he says: "There are several considerable towns round about Seattle—Tacoma and Portland." This gentleman is hereby warned to keep away from Tacoma and Portland until the thing has blown over.

PRESS COMMENT.

Demands by Russia and Germany that the Serbian regicides be apprehended and punished will probably be answered with politeness and a show of determination, but there is not much likelihood of the regicides paying the penalty usually inflicted on those guilty of murder.—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

The action of the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths in suspending four hundred of its Chicago members for breaking contracts made with employers, and of the Teamsters' National Union in suspending three hundred of its members for the same reason, are the most encouraging indications of possible industrial harmony that have appeared for some time. The action of these two large organizations is a recognition of the fact that labor unions must have faith with their employers, and that this faith is fully recognized by labor, industrial peace is not possible.—Montreal Gazette.

Time was when an English politician could not say "boo" to free trade without getting out of public life. That period appears to be somewhat distant from the date of Joseph Chamberlain's present whereabouts.—Toronto Telegram.

Mr. W. T. Stead vouches for the fact that a clairvoyant predicted the murder of a king as long ago as March 20 of this year. The fact that the clairvoyant, a Mrs. Burwell, held in her hand at the time she saw the vision of the murder a slip of paper, which is known to her, bore the autograph of King Alexander of Serbia. A Serbian gentleman present was so impressed that he wrote to the Serbian Minister in London, and sent a letter of warning to the King.—Montreal Star.

One great help to the cause of protection is being given by Liberal members of Parliament. Quite a number of these have spoken in favor of protection during the present session, but some have had the courage to vote as they talked. The discussion on the iron and steel duties brought out a new fact. Mr. Macdonald, the prominent was Dr. Kendall, one of the representatives of Cape Breton, who, declaring Sir Charles Tupper in 1890, is now offering a leg to get up on at, long, one plank of the Tupper platform.—Montreal Gazette.

MEN AND THINGS.

Mrs. Margaret Danielson of Cambridge, Minn., is 132 years old. She is the mother of two Swedish Baptist ministers and ascribes her long life to her strict adherence to the tenets of the church.

Mrs. Elizabeth H. Roehner, who has recently resigned the position of society reporter for the Standard Journal, has been in the service of that paper for 25 years—making her the dean of society reporters in the United States.

At the recent commencement exercises of the Columbia university at Washington the honorary degree of doctor of letters was conferred upon George Horton, the well known author, formerly of Chicago, who is now pursuing literary and philological studies at the capital.

Hall Caine locates the scene of the latest George Wren which he is acquainted at the attention of the incident in question. He writes, "was that venerable nonagenarian, Pene Leo XIL, who, on the occasion of our first interview, actually confessed that he had never read one of my books."

It appears that if King Leopold of Belgium finds it impossible to come to America as King of Belgium, he is going to Canada as a private citizen. A Washington despatch says that the King will visit E. Walsh, who has done considerable business of the king, in Canada in the fall.

General De Wet has become the head of a large political party in the Orange River Colony. Every Boer returned from a British prison camp at once joined De Wet's party, and it now comprises a majority of the white population in the colony. De Wet's irreconcilable attitude gives the British authorities cause for apprehension.

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"Yet damages?"
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"They say your brother Will has joined a 'suicide club.'"
"Oh, no; that's a mistake; I suppose the absurd rumor grew out of the fact that he has just bought an automobile."
—Chicago Record-Herald.
Mr. Stubb: The weekly papers say down at Matilda Jenkins' dinner party the table fairly groined. Mrs. Stubb (who was not invited)—I guess it did. Matilda Jenkins' cooking is enough to make anything groan.
—Chicago Daily News.
"Did you hear of the lovely wedding present Jane's father is going to give her?"
"No, what is it?"
"It's a girl."
"I'm not sure, but I don't think I'll be invited to hold her job for a whole year."
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.
Arthur (glumly)—I am afraid Mabel's love for me is cooling. Friend—Have you heard from her to-day? Arthur—Yes, and here's her letter. She says she won't marry me unless I can give her a new dress. I've only sixteen times, and undercoats it ten.—New York Weekly.

Tess—Some men are awfully slow, aren't they? Jess—Yes, and they are so aggravating. There was one sat alongside of me coming down in the car this morning. Tess—You weren't trying to flirt with him? Jess—Gracious! no; but he was never ready to turn the page when I was.—Philadelphia Press.

Mrs. Tyrtle—Why, George, haven't you smoked all those cigars yet? Mr. Tyrtle—Got a few left, dear. Mrs. Tyrtle—And when I bought them for you, you laughed at me and said women didn't know anything about buying cigars. I didn't pay nearly so much as you do when you buy cigars, and just think how they have lasted!—Boston Transcript.

FAREWELL TO VICTORIA.

(Gratefully inscribed to the Rev. Dr. Campbell, "Breadwinner.")
Farewell to Victoria, the Queen of the West;
Esquimalt, the Gorge, and that beautiful best
Of all parks to give power to both body and will
Enriching the Beacon that towers on the hill
Farewell to its people, so peerlessly kind!
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Rev. Dr. Hackett, who has been principal of the Montreal Diocesan Theological college for thirty years, has accepted the position of rector of Waterford cathedral, Ireland, and will leave this summer for his new field of labor.

It is reported at Little Rock, Ark., that Henry C. Caldwell, federal judge of the eighth circuit, will retire from the bench on the 30th. Mr. Caldwell is the only surviving appointee on the bench of President Lincoln, he having been appointed in 1861.

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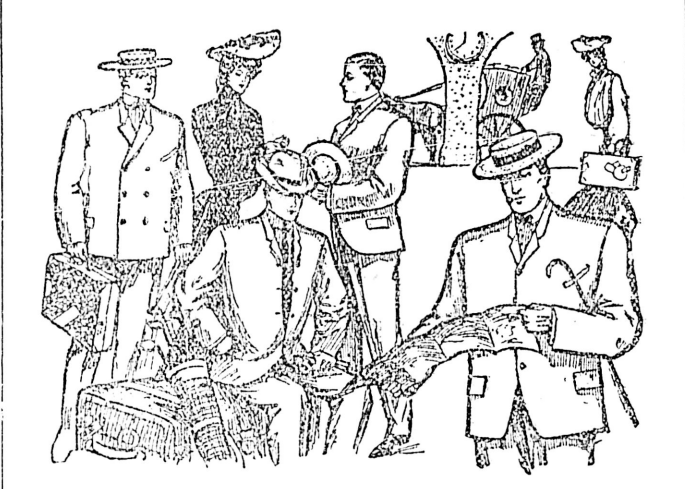
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Deadlock Over Market Building

City Council Divided Respecting
Lease to Victoria Terminal
Company.

Judges Award For Carnegie
Building Adopted and Work
to Be Halted.

A large number of important matters were considered by the City Council at its regular weekly meeting last evening, there being a full board present, and the session being continued to a late hour. The first action on the agenda of the committee of judges in relation to the Carnegie library building, was taken. A deadlock ensued upon the motion to grant a lease of the market building to the Victoria Terminal Railway Company, five of the council, including the Mayor, voting against the lease, and five aldermen approving of the granting of the lease.

An invitation from the Vancouver City Council to attend the Dominion Day celebration was accepted with thanks.

J. G. Elliott, secretary of the Vancouver Island Board of Fire Underwriters, wrote drawing the attention of the council to the very unsatisfactory state of the electric wiring inspection in the city at the present time. Following resolution of the Electrical Workers' Union, was enclosed: "This union deems it of vital importance to bring before the Board of Fire Underwriters of Victoria, B. C., the present unsatisfactory condition of electric construction work in this city. We consider that in the interest of the property owners, and of the public at large, that the time has arrived when the city of Victoria should appoint a competent person for the inspection of all wiring and for the enforcement of the bylaws relating thereto, who shall devote all of his time to such duties. And it is the opinion of this union that such official should not be connected either directly or indirectly with any firm, electrical contractor, or corporation engaged in or at the electrical business in this city."

After considerable discussion, it was received and filed, the request being granted and the salary to be the fees fixed by the bylaw for inspection of wires.

Stephen Jones' application for a paved sidewalk with granite curbing, as soon as possible in front of the Dominion hotel, was referred to the city engineer for report. A letter from L. B. Cowan, on behalf of the Eastern Ontario Good Roads Association, was read, asking the council to pass a resolution drawing the attention of the Dominion government to the desirability of establishing a Dominion division for good roads, and pointing out the great benefits that would accrue to the entire country by the adoption of more modern methods of road construction in rural districts. Upon motion of Ald. Cameron it was referred to the Streets, Bridges and Sewers committee for report.

Thomas A. Bryden's request for an extension of one month to make sewer connections, owing to the moving and repair of a house, was granted.

T. Lubbe, secretary of the Esquimalt Water Works Company, wrote to the petition signed by William Reddie, and 170 others, requesting the water supply to residents of Victoria West. He pointed out that only 108 of the 171 names appeared on their books, and dealt with the charge that the water supply was inadequate and the claim that the rates were excessive. The letter stated that the hydrant pressures were incomparably better than city pressures at any given level.

In answer, Jas. L. Raymur reported that the pressure at the City Hall stands at about 60 lbs., with a correspondingly higher reading in the lower portions of the city. He enclosed pressure cards for last week, and also a report from the chief engineer of the fire department on certain tests made yesterday.

Ald. Grahame's motion, that Mr. Lubbe's letter be received and filed, was carried, and the gentleman's name first on the petition he advised to the action of Ald. Grahame said that the statements of Mr. Lubbe in regard to pressure were all nonsense.

In regard to the second part of Mr. Lubbe's letter, a resolution was carried that the Water Commissioner's report on the subject be sent as a refutation of Mr. Lubbe's statements.

The Water Commissioner wrote objecting to the Tramway Company putting its track on the 24-inch main on Douglas street. This matter was left in the hands of His Worship to notify the company at once to discontinue work for the present.

A letter from City Clerk Dowler advising that the following communications have been received and referred to the city engineer for report, viz: Thomas Tubman, requesting the extension of the sidewalk on Bell street, from its present terminus to his residence, and from T. J. Kinn, calling attention to the location of an open drain on Hulton street, was received and filed.

The city solicitor wrote the complaint of Messrs. Pennington & Son relating to encroachment on St. Andrews street and Beacon streets, advising that proceedings lie against Mr. Phillip to compel him to vacate the portion of the roadway encroached upon. The city solicitor was instructed to take action.

The city barrister's written opinion in relation to the questions at issue between the city and the Victoria Terminal Railway, was then taken up, it being as follows:

Victoria, B. C., June 20, 1903.
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questions submitted for an opinion, I beg to advise as follows:

No. 1. Is the purchase by the V. T. R. Co. of the steamer Victoria, in the U. S. and the conversion of such steamer into a railway ferry, S. S., a sufficient compliance with clause 2 and 23 of the agreement between the company and the corporation in so far as such agreement requires the company to build, equip and put in operation a seaworthy and efficient railway ferry, S. S.?

Answer. Clause 2 requires the company to build, equip and put in operation, etc. Clause 23 makes provision relating to the conversion of the S. S. Victoria into a ferry. The two together show clearly that the intention was that a new ship should be built and not an old ship remodelled for the purpose.

Upon a strict construction of the sections the remodelling of an old ship would not be a compliance. It seems to me, however, that the main object as evidenced by Section 2, was that a seaworthy and efficient railway ferry, S. S., of the capacity and degree of efficiency provided in section 2 was the end aimed at.

It being, however, in contemplation of the contracting parties that a ship should be constructed for this purpose and not simply remodelled.

There is an absence of authority upon the point.

It is a case of first instance. As it involves a very considerable liability upon the corporation, I should suggest that it is essentially one of those cases in which a ratepayer should be heard, by which means to restrain the corporation paying the bonus upon the ground of non-compliance of this matter by the company.

If the matter has come before a judge of opinion that compliance with the verbal of the contract was essential to performance, the city would not be held liable. If on the other hand the matter happened to come before a judge whose views of construction were such that verbiage was merely indicative of the main object of the parties the city would be held liable.

No. 2.—Is the agreement entered into by the V. T. R. Co. with the G. N. Co. a sufficient compliance with clause 4 of the agreement between the city?

It seems to me from the copy of the agreement submitted, that the agreement is not in compliance with clause 4. Clause 4 shows clearly that all freight passing over the G. N. R. designed for Victoria, should be passed over the V. T. R. in pursuance of an agreement between the two companies in that behalf. Whereas the agreement relates only to such freight as is transported from the G. N. R. to Cloverdale and consigned to Sidney or Victoria. The difference being that under the agreement as executed, the G. N. R. may route its freight as it pleases, whereas section 4 of the agreement contemplates that all Victoria freight should be sent via the V. T. R.

No. 3. If such agreement be now amended to comply with the company's agreement with the city?

Answer. I am of opinion that it may.

No. 4. Is counsel of opinion whether, under all the circumstances there has been such compliance on the part of the company in all material respects with the conditions of the said agreement as would justify the corporation in granting a lease of the Market premises to the company and accepting the company's work and further in the event of the council's opinion being in the negative on either or any of the above questions, would such non-compliance constitute such a breach of the agreement in a material respect as would legally justify the city in refusing to lease the Market buildings or pay the subsidy provided in the said agreement?

Answer. This question opens a variety of subject matters with reference to which to facts whatever have been submitted, I have not had time to consider. As to the matter referred to in the three previous questions, I should advise as suggested, in the answer to question one, namely, that the city decline to pay or lease until a test is made by way of an injunction. A speedy, effective and inexpensive method. Upon such application without additional expense any other question of non-compliance could be raised.

W. J. TAYLOR.

There was a lengthy discussion on the following resolution, moved by Ald. Yates, and seconded by Ald. Stewart: "That upon the V. T. R. & P. Company having the traffic agreement with the Great Northern Railway so amended as to comply with clause 4 in the bylaw, a lease of the market building be granted to the said V. T. R. & P. Co." and an amendment moved by Ald. Cameron, and seconded by Ald. Vincent, "that the V. T. R. & P. Co. be informed that the council cannot see their way to grant a lease of the market building at present." His Worship, the Mayor, Aldermen Cameron, Kinsman, Barnard and Vincent voted in favor of the amendment, while Aldermen Grahame, Yates, Goodhue, Stewart and Dimsdale voted against it. On the main resolution being put there was the same division.

The Streets, Bridges and Sewers committee report was received and adopted. The report from the Board of Judges in relation to the Carnegie library building was adopted, and a resolution was passed that the successful architect be instructed to prepare the necessary working plans and specifications for the library as soon as possible, with a view of calling for tenders.

Mr. Ridgeway-Wilson's letter, taking exception to the award of the judges was received and filed, the writer to be informed of the council's action.

The council adjourned till Wednesday evening, when a special meeting will be held to consider resolutions introduced by Ald. Cameron.

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Field Exercises By Land Forces

Annual Mobilization Manoeuvres
By Regulars and the
Militia.

Were Educational to Visitors in
Regard to Topography of
the Country.

Annual mobilization manoeuvres of the military forces stationed at Vancouver and Victoria—both regulars and militia—took place yesterday with every success achieved in what was aimed at. Col. Grant very kindly accorded a Col. onist representative an interview yesterday afternoon on the conclusion of the evolutions; and he made it clear that the chief importance of the mobilization consisted in making the visiting companies familiar with the topography of the country surrounding Esquimalt and Victoria. There was very little spectacular interest in the manoeuvres and nothing in the way of mimic fighting—the various exercises being undertaken purely, as said before, with the idea of familiarizing the men of the different branches of the service engaged with the character of the country and the fortresses.

Between 700 and 800 men participated in the exercises—the Sixth Regiment, Duke of Connaught Rangers of Vancouver, under command of Major Boudt; Fifth Regiment, Victoria, under Col. Hall; Royal Engineers, under Lieut. G. E. Elliott; and the Royal Artillery, under Capt. McDonald.

On Sunday evening the Vancouver contingent arrived by train from Nanaimo, and encamped at Langford Plains, preparatory to the evolutions of yesterday morning. Road Hill was manned by the regular forces, and the former were to assist the latter in repelling an imaginary attack on the part of the Royal Engineers. Col. Grant explains that he had hoped that the would have been able to arrange for the navy to participate in the exercises, but failing to do so, he had to content himself in arranging a much simpler programme.

Various scouting parties had been thrown out to detect the approach of the invaders—made up of a force of 50 men—Capt. Hart McEarg, of the D. C. O. R., with a small force being stationed at Albert Head road, and afterwards falling back to the cross road, joining a reserve, that point in command of Lieut. Akroyd. Capt. Grant, with another contingent, held the Matchosin road, and the railway was held by a detachment under Lieut. Dunn. Col. Grant and staff directed operations from a point in the vicinity of Colwood hotel.

The attacking forces split up into various detachments and approached Road Hill from different directions, the defenders reporting to headquarters as soon as the former were discovered, and receiving orders to adjust their positions as the constantly changing conditions eventuated as the manoeuvres proceeded.

At 2:55 p.m. the affair was concluded—much valuable information having been gained by the officers in respect to the vantage points in case actual war required the defence of Road Hill against an invading foe.

Col. Grant spoke very highly of the manner in which the visiting contingent from Vancouver deputed themselves—the men evincing great keenness, intelligence and discipline. A feature of the manoeuvres was the demonstrating of the excellence of the arrangements for the defence of Road Hill—the skill of the officers in charge of the repelling force. On the other hand, officers in charge of the Engineers, forming the attacking force, exhibited commendable knowledge of the country in advancing on the position.

During the morning the Fifth Regiment had firing squads at work on target practice with the quick-firing battery at Macaulay Point, and good scores were made. At 4 o'clock camp was struck—after a very enjoyable two weeks' outing, during which the men were very much benefited alike in military skill and physical health.

On the conclusion of the exercises in the vicinity of Road Hill the men of the Sixth Regiment, D. C. O. R., were relieved of further duty for the day, and they all directed much attention to the streets. Victoria's expressing much appreciation of their neat and soldier-like appearance. At 9 p.m. they assembled at Russell Station and entrained for Nanaimo on their return home.

Between the hours of 9 and 11 last night the naval and land forces were engaged in another test of the defence equipment of Esquimalt harbor—two torpedo boats essaying to gain entrance without being detected by the keen eyes of those on watch behind the searchlights. The manoeuvres were similar to the evolutions of last week, and were included in yesterday's programme, as finale to the mobilization programme of 1903. The batteries at Macaulay Point were manned by the Royal Artillery, and the electric lights by a detachment of the Royal Engineers.

The Fifth Regiment struck camp yesterday afternoon, and marched into town about 9 o'clock in the evening. The men looked very smart as they marched through Government street with the band. The street was lined with crowds, who expressed many complimentary references about the boys' appearance, and the steady way in which they marched. The parade was the strongest the Fifth has had for some time. There were about 220 all told. Col. Hall is supposed to be pleased with the results of this year's outing. He thinks that the men have gained a lot of information in regard to the working of the guns and depression ranges, and that they have gained a certain amount of proficiency in marksmanship with the 6-inch guns. The camp has brought the men more together in a social way than ever before. The officers think that the successful issue of the annual outing will materially assist in recruiting in the future. They are confident that the men will look forward to camping again next year. Yesterday afternoon some of the companies who were not on duty in the fort, were firing by sections with miniature ammunition, at a row of bottles placed on the rocks at Macaulay Point.

The semi-finals and finals for the Col. Gregory cup were pulled off last night before the regiment marched into town. No. 3 Company pulled the hand, and won out, after a hard struggle, then they had to pull No. 4 Company, and succeeded to the latter. Nos. 5 and 4 pulled off in the finals and the former came off conquerors. Corp. Spurler coached the winning team. During dinner last night Capt. Langley made a short address to the men, and complimented the different companies on the arrangements for special rations, and No. 5 Company he mentioned in particular.

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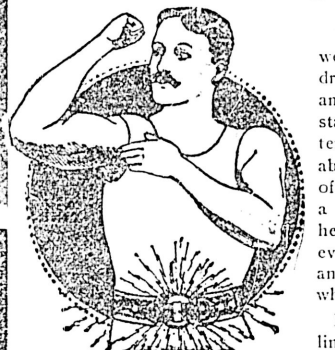
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How Captain Robinson of the Athenian Became a Diver on Short Notice.

Victoria's trade connection with the Orient has been improved by the purchase of the McEwan Navigation Co.'s steamers on the Yangtze-Kiang—the great waterway of China—by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line, which will use the steamers on the big Chinese river in connection with the line of six steamers running from Victoria and Seattle to the Orient, and the European service. The deal for the purchase of the McEwan freight and passenger vessels, and shore property on the Yangtze, was concluded on June 1, and according to a Shanghai cable on June 10, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha company will make it a branch line of its American and European service. The arrangements of the line both in the river and ashore of the Yangtze were in perfect order. A German steamship company attempts to purchase this line the year before last, but the deal resulted in failure.

Victoria is also given connection with Java, as a result of arrangements which have just been completed for a service between Yokohama and Java, via China. Connection will be made with the new line by the Oriental liners running from this port to the Japanese port. The service to Java will be commenced in September, and thereafter a regular four-weekly service will be conducted. The line will be under the Dutch flag, and for the purpose of the trade three steamers have been ordered. They are called the Djipang, Tjiaman, and Tjiamah, and will each be 5,000 tons dead weight. One of them was constructed in England and the others in Holland. The company to which the steamers belong have their head office in Amsterdam.

The route of the steamers will be from Batavia to Samarang, Sourabaya, Macassar, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe, and Yokohama, and the return trip the ports called at will be Kobe, Hongkong, Amoy, Swatow, Singapore and Batavia.

So far trade between Java, China and Japan has only been carried on by charter steamers. Provision for passenger traffic will no doubt be made as demands warrant it.

THE KLONDIKE'S RICHES.

Clean-up This Year Will Be Larger—A Big Day.

The first river steamers to reach White Horse this season after the opening of navigation, was the Clifford Sifton, on which the greater number of the passengers who arrived by the steamer Princess May on Saturday came up the river. The Clifford Sifton, which brought up the river gold to the value of a quarter of a million dollars, says that this season's clean-up of the Klondike district will exceed that of last year, by several thousand dollars. Last year, according to government records, \$12,000,000 was taken out. The record for the biggest day's clean-up on any creek was made this spring, when the day's yield on a Bonanza creek claim amounted to \$32,000. M. A. and P. C. Coniff, who were among the passengers who came up the Yukon on the Clifford Sifton, are authorities for this statement. They said "Reports from all the creeks show the results have been better than for the spring of 1902. While in Dawson I even heard that it would be nearer \$14,000,000 than last year's figures. Before we came out we saw the \$24,000 clean-up in one day on Bonanza. This is the record for the district. There are a number of large clean-ups in several parts of the district, and this will be the history of the country from this time on. The improvements made in the past two years in the district, within the past two years, and as these are improved the output will increase.

When we left Dawson it was very quiet, but we were looking forward to a better trade soon. The trouble is that the city is deserted owing to the demand for men to work on the creeks.

As nearly as I can understand, there was in the neighborhood of \$150,000 to \$200,000 brought out on the boat. Most of this was carried by the owners, and not much was in the care of the boat's officers.

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THE SAILERS.

River Indus Arrives 22 Days From San Francisco—Baleclutha in Port.

The British ship River Indus, from Acapulco, via San Francisco, which port she entered in distress to secure provisions, reached port last night—having passed Cape Flattery yesterday morning. The River Indus is 22 days from San Francisco, which port she left on June 1. She is chartered to load lumber on Puget Sound.

The ship Baleclutha, which took a cargo of coal from Ladysmith to Kar-luk, reached port yesterday morning from the Alaskan Coast port. She arrived in the Royal Roads about 6 o'clock in the morning and soon afterwards left for Nanaimo to load another cargo of coal.

The British bark Trongate, which has been lying idle in the Royal Roads some time past, was towed to Vancouver on Sunday night by the tug Lorne. The Trongate, has been chartered to load lumber at Hastings for South Africa. The Gustave and Oscar has also been secured to load lumber at Hastings. The tug Lorne will bring down the bark Ivanhoe, which has completed loading a cargo of 1,038,350 feet of lumber for Lique, and will sail for the Chilean port after shipping a crew. Capt. Grant, master of the Ivanhoe, is a Victorian.

The Chilean ship Autofagasta, laden from Chemainus for Antofagasta, leaves today for the Southern port, after shipping a crew here.

CAPTAIN GOT BUSY.

Athenian's Master Gets Down Into 'The Chuck' to Do Diver's Work.

Capt. Robinson, of R. M. S. Athenian, of the C. P. R. line is a strenuous man. When it was reported to him that the steamer Athenian was disabled as a result of help having choked the grating of the pipe, which feeds the steamer's condensers he sent the purser ashore to get a diver. The purser woke up the diver by phone, and in a few moments the diver had started his gear out, and got his assistant to the scene—both Capt. Robinson was impatient, and he rowed ashore to hurry up things, for he wanted to get to Vancouver in time to catch the train.

The Athenian had anchored off the end of the dock, and when Capt. Robinson went back on board he thought that he might do something before the diver arrived. He went to the engine room—his assistant told him they could do nothing with their condensers cut off, and there was nothing for it but to wait for the diver.

Then Capt. Robinson enquired among his crew for divers. One man stripped off his boots, but he came back on board spluttering and said the water was cold.

Meanwhile the help remained fast in the valve of the injection pipe. Suddenly Capt. Robinson came from his cabin with his bathing trunks on, and there was a splash over the side.

But no boats were lowered. There was no cry of "man overboard." The Captain had become diver. He dived down to the grating of the injection pipe and tugged for a space at the help. Then he came up to take a few breaths and went down again. Then next time he came up the injection pipe's grating and valves were free, and there was a hurry-up call through the megaphone for the purser to get back on board.

LAMORNA'S REPAIRS.

Albion Iron Works at Vancouver Will Repair Hull of Cargo Ship.

Owing to the fact that the British ship Lamorna had not been surveyed before she was hurried to Vancouver to discharge her cargo for that port, tenders were not called for here for the repairs necessary to the ship as a result of the buffeting she received when she was wrecked on the coast of Alaska. The ship was damaged on her way to this port.

Tenders were asked in Vancouver, and the Albion Iron Works in that city secured the contract for the repairs to the hull of the ship. The British Columbia Stevedoring and Contracting Company secured the contract for the repairs to the rigging.

MARINE NOTES.

The China Mutual steamer Ajax left Vancouver for the Sound on Sunday after having been discharged quickly by the B. C. S. & C. Co., at the Terminal port.

Damage amounting in the aggregate to more than \$40,000 were awarded at Seattle to the libellants of the steamship Oregon, passengers on that vessel on its famous voyage from Nome in September, 1901, as compensation for the hardships they claim to have suffered by reason of the negligence of the ship's owner, the White Star Steamship Company. The libellants, about 350 in number, are awarded double the amount of fare paid by each. First class passengers \$35, and second-class passengers \$20, and are consequently allowed \$150 and \$70 respectively.

The steamer Clifford Sifton, which was the first of the stern-wheel fleet to come up the Yukon, had a hard trip. The ice had not entirely disappeared when she started, which caused some slight delay and necessitated laborious efforts on the part of the crew to get her through the places to enable the boat to go through.

Steamer Cottage City, of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, is due on Wednesday from Skagway and Alaskan ports. According to a dispatch received from Skagway the Cottage City has 150 passengers on board. The steamer Spokane, the excursion steamer

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of the P. C. S. S. Co., will arrive at the Ocean dock tomorrow afternoon, and will sail at 9 p.m. for the North on her third trip to the glaciers and points of interest on the Alaskan coast.

Steamer City of Puebla arrived last night from San Francisco. She brought a large number of passengers. Steamer Queen will sail south tonight.

Happenings in Police Circles

How the Bold Burglar Woke Up Chinatown and Silence Was Deposed.

The Klootchman Who Got a Month's Imprisonment For Carrying a Parcel.

It was down on Government street at the spooky hour of 4:30 a.m.

In front of the Chinese village came the carrier of alarm. Whistles fractured the night air, shouts cut their way through the ether, and along the cement pavement there was a hurrying patter of bare feet.

Seigt. Rodgrave and Constable Jake Woods had met on a corner two blocks away, when Chinatown turned out and got noisy—and thinking that an inter-ference war had begun, they gripped their batons, felt for their life-insurance policies, and ran.

In front of the store at 181 Government street they found a shivering, jabbering crowd, clothed in underclothes and excitement, holding Ah Guon—a stranger chink, who had a few friends as a bent looking for a loan.

Lum Dick was spokesman, and when the noise of whistles—for a Chinaman also keeps a whistle close at hand as a police signal—was still, he said: "Me catch burglar. I like you take him jail. Give him fifty year, all right."

Meanwhile Ah Guon looked worried. He had been caught by Lum Dick in the act of burglarizing his store, and he had a new method—for a Chinese. He had swathed his lunch-box in a heavy bandage of paper, and put it through Lum Dick's window. Then he moved on, into the friendly shadow of a nearby alley, and waited. All was still, so he went back, and was reaching through the loop-hole that he had made, when Lum Dick ran out and fastened his hands on the bold burglar. He had one hand inside the window and some of Lum Dick's tobacco in his hand.

He came before Messrs. Northcott and Shakespeare in the Police Court yesterday morning—but said he wanted to see a friend about his case. As he may need a friend, his case was remanded. He will explain Wednesday.

This is to tell the hard luck story of two klootchmen. As they told the justices yesterday morning, it all came through a chance meeting with Mah Sow, who, during the short intervals he has been free from the government hotel, makes a practice of selling liquor to Indians.

Mary, an old klootchman, whose Paisley shawl is becoming as frayed as her hair, had met her dwarfed and crippled daughter-in-law, Annie Annie of Clayoquot, who was about to leave for her "illaboo" on a sailing schooner, and they walked along the street until they met Mah Sow, who asked them if they wanted any fireworks.

Annie Annie thought it would be as well to take some "square face" back to Clayoquot, so she gave Mah Sow \$2.50—four bits for him and two dollars for the two square bottles from Rotterdam.

Mr. Deasy, Dominion government policeman in charge of the Indian reserves, happened along, and grabbed Mr. Chink, and also the two swish women, for each was then carrying a bottle of gin—which Mr. Deasy said in court was an intoxicant, if his smell was good.

Mary came up with a grin—when her case was called—and said she had been carrying the bottle.

Well, said Mr. Northcott, I guess the bottle was worth 25 cents, or we'll have to fine you 25 cents, or we'll have to fine you. Then the grin vanished.

Annie Annie said she had the gin. She had bought it, and given Mary a bottle to carry. She was given a like sentence.

Mah Sow said the swishes must have made a mistake. He was not guilty. So the two women told the story—and Babel reigned, for no less than four languages were used, and three interpreters used at one time.

Mr. Deasy produced the gin. He said that according to smell it was the genuine stuff.

"Can you swear that it is?" asked the chief.

"Taste it," said the court.

"Thanks," said Mr. Deasy; "I don't drink."

The chief said that Mah Sow was an old offender, and he thought about nine months would just about suit him.

The court sentenced him to pay a fine of \$200—with the option of going to jail for five months. He chose the jail, and Constable Harper soon afterwards started out from the lock-up with an express laden with the dopy-looking Chinaman, and the two poor old klootchmen, whose meeting with Mah Sow had netted them freedom for a month.

Mary, though, thinks that the law is not justice, when it sends her to jail for carrying her daughter-in-law's parcel.

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